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OFF TO HONOLULU.

Miss Annie Harvey, one of our Nova Scotia teachers, left August 17th on the C. P. R. for Honolulu, via Vancouver.

RULE OF COASTING TRADE.

Administration Will Enforce It at Porto Rico.

The Island Regarded as an Integral Part of United States for Purposes of Navigation Regulations—Cuba to be Treated in a Different Manner.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—An important treasury circular was issued by the navigation bureau today, defining the attitude of the executive department of the government toward Porto Rico.

HAZARD'S GUN POWDER. The Strongest, Cleanest and best made. We have both black and smokeless. Cart-ridge Cases filled to order with Hazard's Blue Ribbon Smokeless Powder. W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED, Market Square, St. John, N. B., AGENTS.

THE P. R. A.

The Annual Meeting at Sussex Opened.

Everyone Well Pleased With the Shooting of the Lee-Enfield Rifle.

SUSSEX, N. B., Aug. 16.—The annual meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association opened here on 16th inst. The attendance is about the same as last year.

At the morning the nursery and all corners were shot off at 500 yards. Sergeants W. J. Colburn, D. Drummer, G. P. Phipps, and others were present.

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line was a busy one. In the morning the Prince of Wales, part of which had been chartered, left after noon and was whisked and resulted as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Points. Sgt. Major A. C. Teed, 8th Hussars, 81; Pte. F. H. Smith, Moncton, 81; Mr. Metzler, Moncton, 81; etc.

At a meeting of the competitors held after the match it was decided to reduce the price of challenging a shot from 50 to 25 cents.

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Mrs. George Daniel presented the Donville cup and Mrs. J. M. Kinneer the Hazen cup to the different winners, each lady addressing a few graceful and complimentary words to the successful competitors.

Three rousing cheers and a tiger for the Queen closed one of the most successful meetings which the P. R. A. has had in New Brunswick.

It is expected that about fifteen of the competitors will leave next week for the matches at Ottawa, commencing on the 25th inst.

P. E. ISLAND.

Most Successful Electric Light Sports at Charlottetown.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Aug. 12.—The electric light sports held here on the 11th were a decided success. Thirty arc lights lit up the track and gave a pleasing effect, as the night was dark.

The winner of the grand aggregate is Major J. T. Hart, who made the highest aggregate score in the All Corners, Donville, Prince of Wales, Provincial and Association matches.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Points. Major J. T. Hart, 304; Lt. C. W. Weisman, 300; Pte. J. O. McKay, 298; etc.

The maiden aggregate for the competitors making the highest score in Nursery, All Corners, Donville and Association matches resulted as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Points. Pte. S. W. Boon, 288; Pte. J. H. Smith, Moncton, 278; Lt. J. M. Robinson, 3 R. C. A., 272; etc.

In the afternoon the ties were shot off. The first one was the association cup, between Major J. T. Hart, R. O., and Lieut. Guy S. Kinneer, 8th Hussars.

At the meeting held for organization of the temperance forces for the coming plebiscite, it was decided to secure the services of W. W. Buchanan for several evenings.

AMBASSADOR HAY ACCEPTS.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—U. S. Ambassador Hay came to the embassy today from the country, where he had been visiting and after transacting some accumulated routine business, he returned to continue his visit.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

ROME, Aug. 17.—The Vatican asserts, despite the reports to the contrary, that the recent illness of the Pope was a merely transitory indisposition, from which he has entirely recovered.

ST. JOHN MAN DROWNED.

WINTHROP, Mass., Aug. 17.—Cyrus Hicks, aged 21 years, belonging to St. John, N. B., was drowned at Wintthrop Beach today while bathing with a companion. The body was recovered.

HOW TO PREPARE CUCUMBER SAUCE.

Pare and chop fine a cucumber or one-half cupful. Add salt, cayenne and four drops of onion juice, one-half teaspoonful parsley and a tablespoonful serrano vinegar. Mix with one-half cup whipped cream.